said money shall only be so drawn as needed for said work.

Sec. 24. This act to take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa City Republican and Iowa Capital Reporter.

Approved January 28, 1857.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa Capital Reporter, Feb. 20, 1857, and in the Iowa City Republican Feb. 21, 1857.

ELIJAH SELLS,

Sec'y of State.

CHAPTER 156.

FIRE COMPANIES.

AN ACT to encourage the organization of Fire Companies.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Members State of Iowa, That any person who is now, or shall hereempted. after become an active member of any fire engine, hook and ladder, hose, or other company for the extinguishment of fire or the protection of property at fires, now existing and under the control of the corporate authorities of any city or incorporated town within this State; or of any such company which shall hereafter be organized under and subject to the authorities of any city or town as aforesaid, shall, during the time he shall continue an active member of such company, be exempted from the peformance of military duty, and from serving as a juror; and any person who shall have been an active member of such company in any city or town as aforesaid, and shall have faithfully discharged his duty as such, for the term of ten years, shall be forever thereafter exempted from the performance of military duty in the time of peace, from serving as a juror, and from the performance of labor on the highways.

Certificate of Sec. 2. That any person who has served in any compamembership. ny for the term of ten years, as provided in the preceding section, shall be entitled to receive from the foreman of the company of which he shall have been a member, a certifi-

cate to that effect, and on the presentation of such certificate to the clerk or recorder of the proper city or town, it shall be the duty of such clerk or recorder to file the same in his office, and to give his certificate, under the corporate Clerk's certificate. seal, to the person entitled thereto, setting forth the name of the company of which such person shall have been a member, and the duration of such membership; and such certificate shall be received in all courts and places, as evidence that the person legally holding the same is entitled to the exemption hereinbefore mentioned: Provided, That nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to diminish any privileges now allowed by any law of this State to any member of any fire company in this State, but it shall be considered as conferring additional privileges.

This act shall take effect from and after its publication according to law.

Approved January 28, 1857.

CHAPTER 157.

SUPPRESSION OF INTEMPERANCE.

AN ACT supplementary and amendatory to an act entitled an act for the suppression of intemperance, approved January 22d, 1855.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Repeal. State of Iowa, That all that part of section first, after the word provided, in the eleventh line, and section third, fourth and sixth, are hereby stricken out.

SEC. 2. Any citizen of the State and resident of the coun- Who may sell ty in which he may be at the time, except hotel keepers, ited. keepers of saloons, eating houses, grocery keepers, and confectioners, are hereby permitted to buy and sell intoxicating liquors for mechanical, medicinal, culinary and sacramental purposes only: Provided, he shall first procure the certificate of twelve citizens of the township in which he resides, that he is of good moral character and a citizen of the county and State, and shall give bond in the penal sum of not less than one thousand dollars, with two good and sufficient